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In Re Application of: **Parmelee, et al.**
Serial No.: **09/683,943**
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Digital Signature System And Method

Art Unit 2133
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Sir:

Please find attached Applicants' Notice of Appeal for the above reference application.
Also please find attached Applicants' Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review comprising 4 pages.

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The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R.1.136 apply.

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